

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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ZIEGERSON et al.)	Art Unit: 1619
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Application No. 10/553,003)	Examiner: Ivan A. Greene
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Filed: August 15, 2006)	Confirmation No. 1281
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FOR: METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION)	
OF EMULSION-BASED)	
MICROPARTICLES)	

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed August 3, 2010, please consider the following amendments and remarks. This Response is being filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7.